

Requests are listed alphabetically by intended recipient by Appropriations Bill

AGRICULTURE PROJECT REQUESTS

\$750,000 - Willow Nursery for Biomass Crop Production, Oneida County, NY: Funding will be used to plant a shrub willow nursery. The goal of the project is commercialize shrub willow energy crop supply expansion, where farmers grow willow shrub on under-utilized, non-food crop farmland. Willow biomass can serve as a feedstock for bio-energy and bio-products, and can be used to replace fossil fuels while sequestering carbon, creating CO₂-neutral renewable energy for New York State. Shrub willow energy crops are initially intended as closed-loop biomass feedstocks for base-load electrical and thermal energy generation.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Mohawk Valley Economic Development Growth Enterprises Corporation
(d.b.a. MV EDGE)
153 Brooks Road
Rome, New York 13441

\$600,000- Graze New York: Funds will be used to offer technical and educational assistance to producers interested in implementing grazing systems and for on-going support for optimum management of established grazing systems. This program will save 13 Grazing Specialist jobs and funding will support one Grazing Specialist staff person per county. Since 1996, GRAZE NY has leveraged over \$8.5 million in implementation funding directly to farmers. GRAZE NY farms provide quality local foods for consumers.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Oneida County Soil & Water Conservation District
121 Second St
Oriskany, NY, 13424

\$1,000,000 - Technology to Combat Asian Long-Horned Beetles in New York Forests: Funds will be used to establish five to seven initial sites in strategic New York forest locales. This project proactively baits and kills or neuters Asian Long-Horn Beetles before they breed and lay their eggs in New York mixed northern hardwood trees using combinations of activated female pheromones and host volatiles discovered, identified and synthesized by SUNY-ESF. The majority of the Northeast United States forests are mixed hardwoods, and these resources are critical to New York's rural economic vitality. These forests also impact wood-based renewable energy industries, New York State water quality, and sequestration of carbon and greenhouse gases known to contribute to climate change. The Asian Long-Horned Beetle infestation is an economic, social and environmental disaster waiting to happen.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

State University of New York College of Environmental Science & Forestry
(d.b.a. SUNY-ESF)
1 Forestry Drive, Bray Hall 224

Syracuse, NY 13210

\$750,000 - Accelerated Woody Biomass Demonstration Plantation Project: Funding will be used to install 500-acres of a planned 1,000-acre demonstration of Root Production Method (RPM) hardwoods. Non-genetically altered RPM hardwoods grow two to four times faster than standard hardwoods, producing two to four times the biomass per tree with no loss in density. This project seeks to demonstrate the viability of these hardwood species as sources of biomass for: bio-energy; bio-products; and other environmental applications. RPM hardwoods have a proven track record and have been used by the Army Corps of Engineers, numerous state and federal agencies, and private entities to reforest areas that have suffered natural disasters causing wide scale loss of existing hardwoods.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Tompkins County Area Development (TCAD)
200 East Buffalo Street, Suite 102A
Ithaca, New York 14850

\$8,000,000 - ARS Center for Grape Genetic Research: Funds will be used for construction of a state-of-the-art research laboratory and greenhouse space to house the scientists and technicians of the ARS Grape Genetic Research Unit. The construction project will create 28 jobs in the building trades and after the lab is built, it will employ 8 additional scientists and 18 support positions. Grapes are the highest value fruit crop in the US and have an economic impact of \$6 billion per year in the NYS.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

USDA Agriculture Research Service
500 Technology Farm Drive
Geneva, NY 14456

\$500,000 - Oneida Lake Cormorant Control: Funds would be used to enable USDA wildlife experts to resume harassment and management techniques against invasive, but migratory and federally protected cormorants on Oneida Lake and statewide. This program helps fish, fishing and related jobs; keeps cormorant feces from denuding islands and shoreline ecosystems; preserves landowners' property, and saves habitat of the *common tern*, a threatened species. Funding for the program also offered secondary benefits - the capacity to mitigate: starling damage to dairy farmers; urban crow infestations; airport geese; and other human/wildlife conflicts.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

USDA APHIS Wildlife Services: Cormorant Management in New York State
1930 Route 9
Castleton, NY 12033

Commerce-Justice-Science Project Requests

\$70,000 - Cayuga County (NY) Sheriff's Office for a Remotely Operated Vehicle for Water Recovery and Rescue: Funds will be used to purchase a Proteus 500 ROV to expand the public safety dive team's ability to respond to multiple annual drowning victim recovery calls. Cayuga County is bordered by both Cayuga Lake and Skaneateles Lake. Stretching a combined 54 miles, and covering a total area of more than 51,000 acres with depths beyond 300 feet that are inaccessible to divers, these lakes support heavy volumes of recreational use during the summer months. Such a vehicle would greatly improve the search and rescue capabilities of the County Sheriff's Office by increasing diver safety, allowing for longer searches over a greater area.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Cayuga County Sheriff's Office
7445 County House Road
Auburn, New York 13021

\$118,000 - Tompkins County Drug Courts Enhancement Project: Funds will be used to train Tompkins County Adult and Family Treatment Court staff to respond to the problems of domestic violence, teen pregnancy and employment deficits that impede the ability of drug court participants to succeed in treatment. The project will also screen participants for family violence issues, and provide those who need assistance with a designated domestic violence advocate to work on safety and self-sufficiency issues. The project provides additional financial support for a local community education employment program, enhances the success rate of drug court participants, decreases the likelihood of domestic violence incidents, and reduce future crime and disorder in the community.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Center for Court Innovation
520 8th Avenue, 18th Floor
New York, NY 10018

\$1,006,000 - NYS Sheriff's Association Digital Imaging Upgrade for 5 Upstate Counties: Funds will be used in the acquisition and deployment of digital imaging databases for Chenango, Cortland, Herkimer, Oneida, and Otsego counties' law enforcement agencies. This project will establish libraries of digital, full color aerial imagery and geo-spatial information that allows instant access to images within an agency's jurisdiction from multiple angles, rather than just a birds-eye satellite view. Images can be accessed from laptop, workstation, or mobile device, and can measure height, depth, width, and area of features in the images. Users can also overlay other information to further expand the usefulness of the imagery. Each county will have access to all New York and Vermont imagery through a central database. The technology can be used for virtually all law enforcement and public safety applications.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

The New York State Sheriff's Association
27 Elk Street
Albany, NY 12207

\$275,000 - Northern Forest Explorers Program: Connecting Rural Youth with their Backyard Waterways:

Funds will be used to expand an existing program that engages rural youth ages 10-14 in outdoor experiences that develop active lifestyles and leadership skills across New York, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine. During Year Two (FY2011), they will scale the program up to reach all communities and will focus on initiating a sustainable funding model that engages local partners in building an ongoing scholarship base that is linked to community resources. This request is the second year of a three year project to expand the program to communities across the entire Northern Forest Canoe Trail, which begins in Old Forge.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Northern Forest Canoe Trail
PO Box 565, 4403 Main St., 2nd Floor
Waitsfield, VT 05673

\$400,000 - SUNY-ESF/NYSDEC Carbon Sequestration and Climate Change Models for New York State Forests: The funding would be used for developing a software-based carbon accounting and modeling tool for a baseline economic multiplier for New York State forests' ability to sequester carbon and mitigate climate change. The model developed by this research will measure the ability of trees to hold carbon-dioxide, enabling more accurate forest management decisions related to wood harvesting and assisting forest managers nationwide in their efforts to maximize the sequestration of carbon in a national greenhouse gas emission reduction strategy. Knowing how much carbon the forests hold can be used to calculate the fair market value for land owners interested in selling carbon credits to businesses, creating new investment opportunities in rural areas.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

State University of New York College of Environmental Science & Forestry
(d.b.a. SUNY-ESF)
1 Forestry Drive, Bray Hall 224 Syracuse, NY 13210

\$2,000,000 - Cyberdefense through Advanced Preparedness Exercises (CAPE), Utica College: Funds will be used by Utica College to develop and implement "Cyberdefense through Advanced Preparedness Exercises (CAPE)," a collaboration between cybersecurity professionals from industry, government, law enforcement, academia, and owners and operators of critical infrastructure to assess, create and implement increased cooperative measures on cybersecurity. CAPE would use cybersecurity experts to educate professionals responding to cyber threats on the latest tools and technologies available and to prepare them for the field through functional scenario-based instruction.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Utica College
1600 Burrstone Road
Utica, NY 13502

\$1,000,000 - Utica, NY Police Department Law Enforcement Analysis Technology

Upgrades: Funds will be used to enhance Utica PD's Computer Forensics Laboratory capabilities by testing, evaluating and integrating technologies in the areas of digital evidence acquisition, extraction, preservation and reporting into the existing infrastructure. This project will improve and expedite investigations and prosecutions in cyber crime cases such as identify theft, proliferation of child pornography and credit card fraud. The project will be a force multiplier by expanding Utica PD's outreach capabilities to regional law enforcement agencies where computer forensic investigative abilities and technologies are critically lacking.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Utica Police Department
413 Oriskany Street West
Utica, New York 13502

\$275,000 - The Intensive Supervision and Support Program (ISSP) for Court-Involved

Youth: Funds would expand our current services for high-risk youth in Seneca County and open up services in Oneida County in Utica. Both sites will focus on returning youth safely from State Office of Children and Family Services (OCFS) institutional care, as well as preventing high risk youth from being placed out of home. The program will target services to approximately 80 high risk juveniles and their families. Youth will receive the following services: Assessments and Individualized Service Plans (ISP's) to address their holistic needs; 24/7 crisis intervention services with an emphasis on preventing violence; educational support services; substance abuse prevention/intervention in partnership with other community organizations; supported work opportunities; and collaboration with OCFS and residential placements on discharge planning and returning youth to the community safely.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Youth Advocate Programs, Inc. (YAP)
2007 North Third Street
Harrisburg, PA 17102

\$560,000 - Child Advocacy Centers and Support Services, Oneida, Herkimer and Cortland Counties, NY: Funds will be used for continued development of programs for education, skill building, child care, youth advocacy, crisis counseling, housing, and extensive supportive services to youth up to age 21 in three counties in Central New York. Child Advocacy Centers provide children that have been sexually or physically abused or assaulted with a safe location where they can undergo reduced interviews resulting in better evidence collection, improved law enforcement and more successful prosecutions. Children and non-offending family members also receive support, advocacy and treatment. This model has yielded tremendous results across the country and its implementation will be furthered in these three counties by this project.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

YWCA of Mohawk Valley
1000 Cornelia Street
Utica, NY 13502

DEFENSE PROJECT REQUESTS

\$3 million - Cyber Security Shield Initiative: A project that would address and propose solutions to ensuring a sustainable qualified workforce in cyber-security Research & Development for the U.S. Air Force via the establishment of appropriate curriculum, educational, and research programs, complemented with the expertise of cyber-security experts as adjunct educators. As the Government continues its efforts to stem the loss of intellectual capital, this initiative will ensure a sustainable, qualified cyber operations workforce for Air Force Research Lab (ARFL) in Rome, NY, through the development of required curriculum via the State University of New York Institute of Technology (SUNY-IT) continuing education program. SUNY-IT will provide an unclassified lab to augment AFRL's organic laboratory assets in addressing public and private sector cyber security requirements which are shared by DOD and complementary to AFRL Rome's core military mission and classified workload. For example this unclassified lab will complement AFRL Rome's work to address requirements such as airborne network security and medical computer networks (both of which are issues of concern to DOD and other US Government agencies as well as the private sector).

The project will result in the development of a curriculum, which ensures a qualified cyber operations workforce that is sustainable through continuing education, as the Government continues its efforts to stem the loss of intellectual capital to the private sector or workforce retirement.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

State University of New York - Institute of Technology
100 Seymour Road
Utica, NY, 13502

\$3 million - Cyber Center for Innovation and Education (C2IE): The Cyber Center for Innovation and Education (C2IE) will identify critical cyber security challenges, and produce highly-trained personnel to meet those challenges. C2IE will be co-located with the Air Force Research Laboratory (AFRL) on the Griffiss Business and Technology Park in Rome, NY and will integrate AFRL personnel and experts from both academia and industry. The Center will foster collaboration of R&D efforts and development of cutting edge cyber security technologies. C2IE will house a comprehensive and accredited education and training program encompassing real-world cyber security scenarios and hands on use of newly developed cyber security technologies. Trainees will include military personnel, government civilians, and industry personnel. This effort supports compliance with DoD Directive 8570.1 which requires that information assurance engineers, technicians, and managers be trained and certified to a DoD baseline requirement. The structured information assurance and information security courses which will be provided by C2IE directly support the Air Force Research Lab's R&D initiatives to comply with DoD 8570.1 and develop trained personnel to execute DoD's cyber network exploitation, defense, and non-defense missions.

C2IE will stand as a model for collaboration amongst academia, government and industry to answer and solve cyber threats from enemy and rogue nations, as well as criminals and insiders. These threats are growing in intensity and threaten to destroy our quality of life. Having a high-qualified, trained cyber workforce will assist the U.S. Air Force in meeting new cyber threats and challenges head on.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Mohawk Valley Community College
1101 Sherman Drive
Utica, NY 13501-5394

\$4.1 million - Mass Transit Risk and Energy Mitigation: Funds would be used to provide tech transfer and commercialization of defense research in copper antimicrobial and energy efficiency technology by installing antimicrobial alloy railings, touch surface plates, heat exchangers and copper components for electric drive systems in retrofit or new subway car construction projects within the New York City Transit system. The purpose is to reduce transmission of disease to prevent pandemic diseases, assess ability to reduce implications of bioterror attacks in air handling systems and reduce energy consumption for national defense purposes. The Department of Defense has recognized that mass transit systems are one of the most vulnerable targets of bioterror attacks and pandemic outbreaks that could put an entire population at risk. This project gives DoD access to the nation's largest transit system and an opportunity for the experts at TATRC to continue this work at Fort Detrick Maryland - where a world class bioterror lab is housed. Additionally, energy efficiency is of utmost importance to

national security i.e. reducing dependence on foreign sources and can be applied if successful, in multiple drive systems.

The project will provide the military the opportunity to build a biodefense portfolio while implementing known disease reducing and energy efficient copper in the nation's largest mass transit system. The potential to test the efficacy of copper to protect the health and reduce the energy consumption in a transit system that serves such a sizeable population will provide DoD with critical findings that can benefit it's bioterror and energy consumption objectives not only nationally, but worldwide. TATRC oversaw the original copper antimicrobial research program, holds the expertise, current research team members and has access to/is located at Fort Detrick, MD - where the nation's research facility U.S. Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases (USAMRIID) is housed.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Copper Development Association Inc.
260 Madison Avenue
New York, NY 10016

ENERGY & WATER PROJECT REQUESTS

\$1,850,000 - State Dam, Auburn, New York: Funds will be used for a project for rehabilitation in accordance with the report on State Dam Rehabilitation, Owasco Lake Outlet, New York, dated March 1999. Rehabilitation is required for the dam to continue to serve its intended function in a safe manner. This dam was one of 15 dams nationwide authorized for \$12 million of rehabilitation in WRDA 2007. The dam provides such benefits as drinking water for 45,000

City and County residents, flood control and recreational opportunities.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

City of Auburn
Memorial City Hall, 24 South Street
Auburn NY 13021

\$2,000,000 - Supercapacitor Development and Testing, NY: Funds will be used to develop and test high energy storage capacitors with the ability to charge in seconds and recharge millions of times at an operating voltage of 12 volts per cell over a vast temperature range. Capacitors with this ability will be more efficient and effective than the EDLC (Electric Double Layer Capacitors) that are currently in production. Supercapacitors or ultracapacitors with reduced weight, size and maintenance needs will enable energy storage that is safer and more effective than battery technology. These new EDLC will help power new technologies like next generation hybrid transportation systems and increase American international competitiveness.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

The Solar Energy Consortium (d.b.a TSEC)
434 Old Neighborhood Rd.
Kingston, NY 12401

\$1,000,000 - Distributive Biomass Combined Heat and Power for Facility Operations: Funds will be used to install a 200KWe distributive biomass combined heat and power (CHP) system for renewable electricity and thermal energy production at their Dryden facility. This

project would support local business efforts to "green" their facilities, allow reduced electrical and heating cost savings and further the U.S. Department of Energy's mission of conducting research on commercial applications of biomass, bio-energy and bio-products.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Tompkins County Area Development (d.b.a TCAD)
200 East Buffalo Street, Suite 102A,
Ithaca, New York 14850

FINANCIAL SERVICES PROJECT REQUESTS

\$2,500,000 - Manufacturing and Small Business Development, Auburn, NY: Funds will be used for property acquisition, utility infrastructure upgrades, equipment purchase, and to market the former Bombardier Transportation Center on Routes 5 & 20 in Auburn, NY to transportation manufacturing companies. The Auburn Industrial Development Authority (AIDA) will revitalize the 231,953 square foot building and seek manufacturing partners to occupy the now-vacant location. As a formerly successful manufacturing center, Auburn will be given a chance to again engage its population in skilled, productive employment.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Auburn Industrial Development Authority
(d.b.a. AIDA)

24 South Street
Auburn, NY 13021

\$1,450,000 - Manufacturing and Small Business Development, Rome, NY: Funds will be used for site clearance, storm water, parking, and other infrastructure improvements to offset the costs associated with the construction of a 46,500 square foot, state-of-the-art office complex with approximately 20,000 square feet of SCIF (Sensitive Compartmented Information Facility). The facility will be built and managed by Griffiss Local Development Corporation and will be leased to a cyber security software company. The new facility will be located in close proximity to dedicated laboratory facilities in the Air Force Research Laboratory, Information Directorate at Griffiss Business & Technology Park.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Griffiss Local Development Corporation
153 Brooks Road
Rome NY 13441

\$300,000 - Small Business Development and Entrepreneurial Enhancement Initiative: Funds would be used to enhance performance, organizational capacity, and innovative practices of publicly-funded business development loan funds, especially in distressed communities/regions struggling to overcome sudden and severe economic dislocations. The initiative provides leadership, peer learning and technical assistance to regional/local economic development practitioners and policy makers involved in entrepreneurship and small business development to ensure that intermediaries who manage federally funded business loan funds,

including those of the U.S. Economic Development Administration (EDA), are adequately trained to assist local businesses and entrepreneurs in loan packaging, deal structuring, credit analysis and other related issues.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

National Association of Development Organizations (NADO) Research Foundation
400 North Capitol Street, NW, Suite 390
Washington, DC 20001

\$300,000 - Manufacturing and Small Business Development, Sherburne, NY: Funds will be used for water, sewer, roadway, and storm water drainage infrastructure construction to develop a 30 acre parcel for an industrial business park. The park will attract businesses to the Village of Sherburne, whose electric rates are ranked in the lowest 1% in the nation. This will benefit the community by creating jobs and generating additional revenue sources for taxes, sewer and water that will help offset future increases. The project will create an estimated 10 short-term construction jobs and create the potential for up to 200 jobs when the park is complete and fully occupied.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Village of Sherburne
15 West State Street, PO Box 704
Sherburne, NY 13460

INTERIOR & ENVIRONMENT PROJECT REQUESTS

\$ 750,000 - Norwich, NY Water Filtration Facilities Replacement, Treated Water Tank

Replacement: Funds will be used to replace a 106 year old water filtration facilities and a 56 year old steel-treated water tank, allowing the city to meet current drinking water requirements. The City cannot raise necessary funding without putting an undue hardship on businesses and residents and endangering the economic well being of the 9,000 people in the Greater Norwich Area.

Funds directed to:

City of Norwich
One City Plaza
Norwich, NY 13815

\$1,450,000 - Finger Lakes Observing Systems (FLOS), NY: Funds will be used to install automated, water column profiler buoys on the other ten Finger Lakes of New York to augment the Institute's automated systems on Seneca Lake. The data from these buoys will provide a continuous web-accessible data on various water quality parameters to expand existing research, integrating a more complete picture of the Finger Lakes water into systems now installed in the Great Lakes in support of Great Lakes Basin restoration.

Funds directed to:

Finger Lakes Institute
Hobart and William Smith Colleges
601 S. Main Street
Geneva, New York

\$126,000 - Develop and Maintain the "Votes for Women Trail": Funding is requested to plan and implement the "Votes for Women" Trail and associated educational and preservation programs. The Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009, which was signed into law in March 2009, authorized the establishment of the Votes for Women Trail as part of the National Women's Rights History Project Act. The trail would link sites in New York that are thematically and historically related to the struggle for women's suffrage in the United States. Thousands of visitors annually would benefit from new interpretive opportunities and enhanced historic preservation of sites associated with this trail. This amount is consistent with that included by President Obama for the Trail in his Fiscal Year 2011 Budget Request.

Intended Recipient of Funds:

Women's Rights National Historical Park
135 Fall Street
Seneca Falls, NY 13148

\$750,000 - Owasco, NY Sewer District Number 3: Funds will be used to extend sanitary sewers to the lakeshore area between the boundary of existing Sewer District No. 2 and the southerly boundary of the Town, in the proposed Sewer District No. 3. Virtually all properties

within the Town will be served by municipal sanitary sewers rather than private septic systems after completion. The project will protect area residents from e-coli and other bacteria and will prevent the contamination of Owasco Lake, provides drinking water for approximately 48,000 people, from septic system failures.

Funds directed to:

Town of Owasco
2 Bristol Avenue
Auburn, New York 13021

\$400,000 - Doubleday Field Restoration Project, Cooperstown, NY: Funds would be used to replace the grandstand roof with a new shingled roof, make repairs to the grandstand bleacher area, and begin design phase of the replacement of third base concrete bleachers of this historic shrine to our national pastime. With this funding, the Village of Cooperstown could leverage additional funding from non-federal sources and continue to safely host over 300 games and special events each year, including the National Baseball Hall of Fame Classic Game, Induction festivities, and nationally-known music performances. The project will create short-term construction jobs and allow the Village to continue to draw visitors, supporting local businesses and providing additional jobs.

Funds directed to:

Village of Cooperstown
22 Main Street
Cooperstown, New York 13326

\$750,000 - Herkimer, NY Waste Water Treatment Plant Infrastructure Upgrade: Funds will be used for upgrades to the filter and aeration system and construction of a new final clarifier to increase the plant's wastewater processing capacity. Greater plant capacity is necessary for future economic development. The project would make the plant more efficient and less costly to operate, reduce effects on the environment, and would increase health and public safety of the community.

Funds directed to:

Village of Herkimer
120 Green Street
Herkimer, NY 13350

\$500,000 - Sherburne, NY Water Improvement Project Phase II: Funds will be used to build a water filtration plant that will allow newly drilled but inoperable wells to come back online. \$4.3 million was spent to drill these wells, but they have high levels of arsenic and iron that put them outside current EPA water guidelines for safe drinking water. With filtration, the community would have access to this much needed water source for at least the next 40 years.

Funds directed to:

Village of Sherburne
15 West State Street, PO Box 704
Sherburne, NY 13460

LABOR-HHS-ED PROJECT REQUESTS

\$400,000 - Expanding Neighborhood Based Testing and Case Management Services to Communities at Risk for Hepatitis C: Funds would be used to include Hepatitis C screenings in the current mobile van based HIV/STD counseling and testing program; expand Case Management and Treatment Adherence to those testing positive for Hepatitis C; and provide clean needles on the mobile van units in Syracuse & Utica. The program would combat rising rates of Hepatitis C - the fastest growing disease in New York - using the ACR's current network.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

AIDS Community Resources, Inc.
401 Columbia Street
Utica, NY 13502

\$45,000 - The Oneida-Lewis County (NY) ARC Accessible Playground for Disabled Children: Funds would be used to purchase equipment for a totally accessible playground at a building owned by the Arc in Marcy where its Children's Program takes place. The playground would fulfill and build on the social-emotional and cognitive area of all children ages 5 to 12, regardless of physical or developmental abilities. The Arc provides a full spectrum of educational, vocational, residential, family support, service coordination, guardianship, respite care, recreational rehabilitation, day habilitation, clinical, senior and children's services to people with developmental disabilities and their families. Such a project would help the organization expand on its present services.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

The Arc, Oneida-Lewis Chapter, NYSARC
245 Genesee Street
Utica, New York

\$400,000 - Cayuga County (NY) Community Mental Health Center Enhancement Project:

Funds will be used to renovate the facility and integrate software (electronic billing and case records) and hardware upgrades. The renovation will improve the mental health centers ability to provide services while increasing energy and space efficiency. The renovation will consolidate all Cayuga County Community Mental Health Center services under one roof and will allow the facility to continue serving its annual 1200 residents and their families.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Cayuga County Community Mental Health Center
146 North Street
Auburn, New York 13021

\$400,000- Lodge/Medical Treatment Center at Camp Sitrin: Funds will be used to support the construction of a lodge/medical treatment center at Camp Sitrin where individuals can recover from paralysis, amputations, depression, post-traumatic stress syndrome, traumatic brain injuries, and other disabilities. With 21 rooms and future expansions in mind, the addition will be a place to help families adjust, and reestablish relationships with patients as they undergo extensive medical and psychosocial rehabilitation. To further impact the community, this project will create collaborative efforts with other not-for-profit organizations and educational institutions. The lodge will generate revenue from private pay or third party reimbursement, it can be rented for conferences and seminars, and it will help build Sitrin's reputation in health care. The influx of new people to the region will also spur economic growth.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Charles T. Sitrin Health Care Center, Inc.
2050 Tilden Avenue
New Hartford, NY 13413

\$230,200 -Viticulture and Wine Industry Workforce Development, NY Finger Lakes

Region: Funds will be used to purchase equipment and supplies to increase hands-on, work simulated, field and lab educational experiences for students enrolled in the Viticulture and Wine Technology Program to prepare a well-educated workforce for the viticulture and wine industry. Resources allocated to this project will yield a return on investment in the form of a highly skilled work force which will increase tax revenues, contribute to the economy, meet the needs of employers, and attract new high-tech companies to the region. The project will be sustained by student tuition, state funds and Ontario County's contribution.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Finger Lakes Community College
3325 Marvin Sands Drive
Canandaigua, NY 14424

\$200,000 - Strengthening the Rural Nursing Workforce: Funds will be used to hire faculty, acquire equipment, develop curriculum, and market this program that will expand an existing RN Mobility program and create the first accelerated nursing program in the region. The project would be the only accelerated, 18-month nursing program designed for working adults and second career students, they have articulated agreements with four SUNY schools and regional community colleges to permit the easy transfer for students with associate degrees or who have completed allied health programs, and it will offer baccalaureate nursing education in a region where very few adults have earned a bachelor's degree. The project will also provide an educated nursing workforce in a three-county, rural region with 16 medically-underserved communities and 21 Health Professionals Shortage Areas.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Hartwick College
One Hartwick Drive
Oneonta, New York 13820-4020

\$395,000 - Herkimer County Community College, Herkimer, NY for Equipment and Technology for Science Laboratories: Funds will be used to purchase science equipment and technology to complete a \$2.6 million project and support laboratory education currently impossible thanks to aging equipment and deteriorating labs. The project will help provide high quality instruction in various sciences courses, building the requisite foundations for baccalaureate or higher degree programs, or giving students the skills needed to serve the workforce needs of the community.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Herkimer County Community College
100 Reservoir Road
Herkimer, NY 13350

350,000 - A New Community Health Center for Edmeston, New York: Funds will be used to build an expanded replacement facility for its Edmeston Health Center. The current facility is housed in a pre-1900 farmhouse on the campus of Pathfinder Village and is the only primary care facility within a 15-mile radius. The current facility fails to comply with contemporary building codes established by the New York State Department of health, and is severely space constrained. The Town of Edmeston and the surrounding communities in Northern Otsego counties have been federally designated as a health professional manpower shortage area (HPSA), and one nearby health center in New Berlin closed within the past year. A contiguous primary care facility will provide convenient accessible care for New York Central Mutual Insurance's (NYCM) 1,000 employees and Pathfinder's 100 residents and day students, and 180 staff members.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

The Mary Imogene Bassett Hospital Inc.
One Atwell Road
Cooperstown, NY 13326

\$65,000 - Upstate New York Biosciences Interactive Business and Technical Resources

Hub: Funds will be used to develop and implement an interactive business and technical resource hub populated with regional content and resource marketing. The custom online tools found at the hub will connect Upstate bioscience companies with resources and would help them share best practices with peers in real time. The project would provide industry support to the more than 200 bioscience companies and small businesses in Upstate NY seeking to expand their workforce and reinvest in the region without having to expend additional resources through using traditional, analog channels. Hub tools will include blog, e-referral, and real-time wiki, as well as peer-to-peer interactions through a virtual professional network.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

MedTech Association, Inc.
235 Harrison Street, Suite 209
Syracuse, NY 13202

\$26,200,000 - National Writing Project: The funding would enable the National Writing Project to continue supporting a national infrastructure of more than 200 writing projects sites serving local schools and teaching communities with high-quality teacher professional development in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

National Writing Project
2105 Bancroft Way #1042
Berkeley, CA 94720

\$250,000 - NYS Historical Society Museum Collections Facility: Funds will be used to

develop a plan for a storage facility to accommodate current and future needs for the Fenimore Art Museum and Research Library and the Famers' Museum collections, including: space programming, site and building designs, engineering studies with construction cost estimates, and begin development of preliminary construction drawings. These premier collections of American fine and folk art, and an American Indian art collection widely considered to be one of the best of its kind represent a repository of unique and valuable collections of regional and national importance. They feature historically significant photograph collections, textiles, domestic artifacts, vehicles, tools, agricultural equipment, more than 90,000 volumes, and thousands of rare and important original documents.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

New York State Historical Association
5798 State Highway 80
Cooperstown, NY 13326

\$400,000- Augmenting the Farm and Ranch Stress Assistance Network in New York

State: Funds will be used to cover salaries, training, and supply expenses to provide rural mental health outreach to farmers experiencing severe personal stress that negatively affects families and business profitability. Personal consultants will work directly with over 300 farm families in upstate rural communities in Cayuga, Cortland, Chenango, and Seneca Counties to improve mental health outcomes. Counseling will also improve farming business outcomes, increasing farm profitability, helping farmers retain employees, and insuring more farm businesses are transferred to the next generation. Such a program preserves farm land, supports the importance of a healthy local food source, and strengthens rural agricultural economies.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

NY FarmNet, Department of Applied Economics and Management, Cornell University
415 Warren Hall
Ithaca, NY 14853

\$400,000 - Parkinson Residence Renovation: One-time funding for renovation and construction of the only known Parkinson's residence in a skilled nursing facility in the country. The funds will help cover the contractor costs to physical structure modification, construction and modernization of the units' amenities. Building upon innovative projects - such as a telemedicine program connecting Parkinson patients to specialists over the internet - the renovations will increasing patient day-to-day independence by using advanced technology in voice and motion sensor equipment to develop and modify a living environment that is specific to each resident's needs.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Presbyterian Homes & Services
4290 Middle Settlement Road
New Hartford, NY 13413

\$25,000,000 - Reading Is Fundamental: The funding would be used for purposes authorized in Section 5451 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. Reading Is Fundamental enhances child literacy by providing millions of underserved children with free books for personal ownership and reading encouragement from the more than 18,000 locations throughout all fifty states, Washington, D.C., Guam, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Reading is Fundamental
1825 Connecticut Ave. NW
Washington, DC 20009

\$395,025 - Establishment of Cortland Regional Food Co-Op: Funds will be used to establish a year-round, nonprofit, food co-op of local farmers and consumers. The co-op will provide direct services for workforce development in agriculture production by working closely with employment agencies and the contiguous Business Innovation Center. A Workforce Development Coordinator employed by the co-op will work with a contiguous Business

Innovation Center to evaluate improvements in workforce development in the regions' farm community and report to the Cortland County Relocalization and Resilience Initiative (CCRRI) - a development partnership that links local institutions, municipalities, businesses, and farmers to improve the local economy. Between 8.5 and 11 percent of Cortland County's 48,599 residents are unemployed. Such a project would stimulate the demand for local produce, in turn helping to ease unemployment by creating new farm jobs and expanding job opportunities in produce transportation, storage, and sales.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

The Research Foundation of SUNY, on behalf of and in conjunction with SUNY Cortland
35 State Street
Albany, NY 12207

\$400,000 - St. Elizabeth Medical Center Nursing Program: Funds will be used to supplement the needs of their hospital-based School of Nursing program and to prevent further nursing shortages. St Elizabeth Medical Center operates the School of Nursing at no financial gain, but thanks to changes in the NYS Medicaid rebasing methodology to hospitals, the center will lose \$1.5 million in annual NYS reimbursements for this service. Nurses from the program, which creates and sustains nursing jobs every year, serve the entire Mohawk Valley region. The funds will allow the Center to continue to supply nurses as their staff works with NYS legislators to identify long-term, sustainable solutions.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

St. Elizabeth Medical Center
2209 Genesee Street
Utica, New York 13501

\$200,000 - Upstate (NY) Cerebral Palsy Inclusive Communities At Play Program: Funds will be used to establish an inclusive, community-based recreational and mentoring program for children with and without disabilities in Central New York. Additionally, they will be used to

develop the program and purchase adaptive equipment needed to ensure that all children are free to participate in a wide variety of recreation programs offered throughout the community. Recreation can teach children with disabilities not to limit themselves from enjoying life experiences. Inclusive Communities At Play will improve quality of life for all children by allowing them to develop social skills, faith their abilities and capacity to learn, and healthier lifestyles. The program will be designed and supervised by professionals, it will offer volunteer opportunities for high school and college students, and they believe it will be self-sustaining once in place by piggy-backing on other youth recreation programs, through sliding-scale fees, and additional fundraising through Upstate Cerebral.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

United Cerebral Palsy & Handicap Persons Association of the Utica Area, Inc.
1020 Mary St.
Utica NY 13501

\$200,000 - Bridge to Employment for Refugees, Oneida and Herkimer Counties, NY:

Funds will be used to provide essential Vocational ESL training and basic skills to refugees and Limited English Proficient (LEP) residents in the 19-25 and 50 and over age ranges to prepare them for careers in health care. The project connects a major portion of the Utica population with good-paying employment while helping the health care sector address chronic needs for trained workers and could be used as a model for similar programs in other sectors. After FY11 funding to develop the program, it would become part of the WIB's array of programs supported by federal Workforce Investment Act dollars and other funding streams.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Workforce Investment Board of Herkimer, Madison and Oneida Counties
209 Elizabeth Street
Utica, NY 13501

TRANSPORTATION-HUD PROJECT REQUESTS

\$270,000 - 1890 House Museum Renovation. Funds would be used to reconstruct the dilapidated front steps and main entrance to the museum and make structural repairs to the historic carriage house. This is one of the few remaining 19th century buildings in Cortland and one of the few tourist attractions in Cortland County. This project will preserve this beautiful structure in a manner consistent with the guidelines for repairs to historic houses set by the U.S. Department of the Interior and create short-term construction jobs.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

The 1890 House Museum and Center for the Victorian Arts
37 Tompkins St.
Cortland, NY 13045

\$250,000 - Central Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired Facility Renovation: The funding would be used for renovations and capital improvements at the group's building in Utica, NY, which houses their manufacturing and employment division, including improvements

to the existing pneumatic power system, fire alarms, lighting, and HVAC system, and engineering, design and renovation of first floor factory and office space and the second floor. The project would create short-term construction and contractor jobs and allow the organization to expand its services to this population.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Central Association for the Blind, Inc.
507 Kent Street
Utica, NY 13501

\$400,000 - Stanley Theatre Expansion Project, Utica, NY: Funds will be used to purchase stage support equipment (rigging, lighting, sound equipment and a new orchestra pit lift) and make ADA-accessible seating enhancements. This project will allow the Stanley Theatre to continue its 80+ year history of providing a quality and diverse array of entertainment, art, educational and cultural opportunities in Central New York.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Central New York Community Arts Council, Inc.
261 Genesee Street
Utica, NY 13501

Technical Correction - CNYRTA Transit Garage - Oneida County - Utica, NY:

The request seeks to modify a previous award of \$400,000 that was originally included in the FY08 Consolidated Appropriations Act (Public Law 110-161) and intended for design, land acquisition, and construction of a central maintenance facility to combine maintenance operations in Rome and Utica. Unfortunately, Centro has been unable to raise the additional funds necessary to undertake the project at this time. This technical correction would allow CNYRTA to obligate these previously earmarked funds for other capital expenditures before the funds lapse at the end of Federal Fiscal Year 2011.

Central New York Regional Transportation Authority
200 Cortland Avenue, P.O. Box 820
Syracuse, New York 13205

\$400,000 - CNY Ronald McDonald House Expansion & Renovation: Funds will be used to expand to a larger and handicapped-accessible facility that expands their current sixteen-room guest house to thirty-five rooms. This will allow them to offer more services and access to new patient populations that must travel to Syracuse for medical care, such as the pediatric inpatients from the new Golisano Children's Hospital.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Central New York Ronald McDonald House Charities, Inc.
1027 East Genesee St.
Syracuse, NY 13210

\$250,000 - Chenango County, NY Brisben Transfer Station Enhancement: Funds would be used for planning, design and construction of modifications to the existing facility. The project will involve the elimination of the current waste compactor system and constructing a covered dump floor facility that captures runoff. The project will create both jobs and greater efficiency for the county in its treatment of municipal solid waste, while lessening the environmental impact of the facility.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Chenango County
5 Court Street
Norwich, NY 13815

\$300,000 - Utica, NY Children's Museum Renovation: Funds will be spent to complete the renovation of the building's roof and 4th floor. Specifically, the project will replace the roof, repair sub-flooring; add carpet runners; complete the Science Education theater. This project will create construction jobs, allow the Children's Museum to create an additional staff position, avoid lay-offs, and continue to provide educational services and exhibits for children of all ages.

Entity to receive funds:

Children's Museum of History, Natural History, Science & Technology
311 Main Street
Utica, NY 13501

\$400,000 - Cortland, NY East End Community Center: Funds will be used for engineering, site prep and construction of a handicapped accessible East End Community Center within the City of Cortland's Dexter Park. The new center will be a primary hub of year round efforts to enhance neighborhood attachment and community development benefiting the City and County of Cortland. It will also provide a permanent site for the City's community policing initiatives.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

City of Cortland
City Hall, 25 Court St
Cortland, NY 13045

\$400,000 - Geneva, NY Strategic Neighborhood Financing Initiative: Funds will provide grant and loan financing of exterior property improvements for housing and small businesses with an emphasis on historic sensitivity, green design, and energy efficiency. A significant portion of the request will be used for revolving loans which will help sustain the program far into the future. The effort will be focused in the transitional neighborhoods where reversal of the City's chronic weak market conditions must begin. The project will result in improved housing conditions, increased property values, a stronger sense of place, and a generally higher quality of life for neighborhood residents.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

City of Geneva
47 Castle Street
Geneva, New York 14456

\$200,000 - Broome County (NY) Cooperative Extension Education Center Renovation. Funds will be used for engineering, renovation, and expansion of the Broome County Cooperative Extension Education Center that offers agricultural education, programs and services. This project will allow the Cooperative Extension the additional instruction space necessary to expand these programs and services to better serve the residents and businesses of the Southern Tier. The Broome County Cooperative Extension Education Center has provided educational opportunities to residents since 1911. Through programs such as Clean Environment, 4-H Youth Development, Successful Farming, and Workforce Development, it has remained a premier resource for nontraditional education in the region.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Cooperative Extension of Broome County
840 Upper Front Street
Binghamton, NY 13905

\$400,000 - Finger Lakes Regional Drug Abuse Prevention Resource Center, Geneva, NY: Funds will be used to construct the Finger Lakes Regional Drug Abuse Prevention Resource Center in Geneva. The new building will have office, classroom, teleconference space, and an Addiction Recover Center with morning, afternoon, and evening self-help and peer-to-peer supports groups. The facility will serve a 5-county area (Ontario, Schuyler, Seneca, Wayne and Yates) with space for evening and weekend activities for youth and parents, and will be available for use by allied human service agencies and organizations such as SADD, Big Brothers/Big Sisters, and the Elder Abuse Coalition. The project would create short-term construction jobs and would improve access to drug and alcohol prevention services.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Council on Alcoholism and Addictions of the Finger Lakes
620 W. Washington Street
Geneva, NY 14456

\$500,000 - Boehlert Center at Union Station Renovations, Utica, NY: Funds will be used to continue renovations of the City of Utica's multi-modal center. Improvements in this phase include: restoration of the Railway Express Agency wing; further replacement of windows; and installation of a security monitoring system. This funding will complement work already completed and create additional contractor and subcontractor jobs.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

County of Oneida
800 Park Avenue
Utica, NY 13501

\$200,000 - DeSales Center Accessibility Improvements Project, Utica, NY: Funds will be used for renovations and accessibility upgrades at the DeSales Center in Utica, NY that houses four not-for-profit organizations - the Refugee Center, Thea Bowman House, Family Nurturing Center, and MAMI Medical Interpreters. These organizations serve close to 1000 low-income and at-risk persons each day. The project will create short-term construction jobs and allow the organizations at the facility to better serve the community.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

DeSales Center, Inc.
731 Lafayette Street Utica
Utica, New York 13502

\$400,000 - Utica, NY Academy of Applied Sciences and Technology: Funds would be used

to construct a construction trades training center on South Street in Utica to be used by: Mohawk Valley Community College, for its carpentry and masonry programs; the Oneida County BOCES; and the Utica City School District. This building will provide needed training for the unemployed, underemployed and educationally deficient, within easy walking distance to an economically depressed community.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

For The Good, Inc.
1113 Linwood Place
Utica, NY 13501

\$400,000 - Hillside Children's Center Varick Campus Renovation: Funds will be used to renovate residential cottages at Hillside Children's Center's Varick Campus in Romulus, improving failing plumbing and roofing systems and increasing energy-efficiency. These renovations are part of an initiative to upgrade residential cottages to offer space for group therapeutic activities, family visits, onsite mental health services, private space, and staff support areas. The project will create short-term construction jobs and allow the facility to better serve this population.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Hillside Family of Agencies
1183 Monroe Avenue
Rochester, NY 14620

\$400,000 - Musical Theatre Festival Arts Education and Performance Center (Cayuga County, NY): Funds will be used for site preparation, construction and other associated building and completion expenses of a performing arts center in downtown Auburn. The facility will revitalize a blighted property in the City of Auburn, as part of the City's long-range plan to transform downtown into a Creative Corridor that will create jobs and spur economic activity associated with the performing arts and education. Upon completion, this facility will serve as a venue for the Musical Theater Festival that is being developed and slated to begin in 2012. It will also prepare college students and young professionals for careers in the theatre, commercial lighting and the entertainment industries.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Musical Theatre Festival, Inc.
17 William Street
Auburn, NY 13021

\$360,000 - Empire Corridor West High Speed Rail Improvements, Cayuga County, NY: The funding would be used for reconfiguration of the North Main Street Road rail crossing in the Town of Mentz (MP 315.57) to enhance safety. The project will create jobs and improve mobility across Upstate New York.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

New York State Department of Transportation
50 Wolf Road
Albany, NY 12232

\$1,000,000 - Empire Corridor West High Speed Rail Improvements, Oneida County, NY: The funding would be used for reconfiguration of the Fox Road and Sand Hill Road rail crossings in the Town of Oneida and the Greenway Road rail crossing in the Town of Verona to enhance safety. The project will create jobs and improve mobility across Upstate New York.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

New York State Department of Transportation
50 Wolf Road
Albany, NY 12232

\$500,000 - NYS Route 5, 8 & 12 Viaduct And Interchange At Routes 5A & 5S, Utica, NY: Funds would be used for the design and construction of elements to provide mitigation to maintain access to the local street network during project's construction phase, including construction of a pedestrian bridge and right-of-way acquisition and demolition. The overall project will enhance safety and mobility along the North-South Arterial, a major transportation corridor in the region.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

New York State Department of Transportation
50 Wolf Road
Albany, NY 12232

\$883,074 - Village of Frankfort, NY Critical Bridge Replacement Project: Funds would be used to design, construct and inspect a new bridge over Moyer Creek in the Village of Frankfort, which connects West and East Main Street in the Village. The nearly 80 year old bridge is used by over 5,000 cars per day, provides critical access to volunteer emergency service vehicles, and serves as the critical access point to two of the Village's business parks. The project would include pedestrian safety enhancements and enclose sewer, water, and electrical lines that are currently exposed. Federal law requires that at least 20% of total transportation project costs be covered with non-federal funds. Thus, the amount requested is 80% of the total estimated cost of the project.

Requested by:

Village of Frankfort Mayor Frank M. Moracco

Intended Recipient of Funding:

New York State Department of Transportation
50 Wolf Road
Albany, NY 12232

\$400,000 - ACHIEVE's Rehabilitation and Expansion Project, Broome County, NY: Funds will be used to expand and rehabilitate the existing facility, constructing a new wing to house administrative, training, and additional support and program spaces, and using asbestos abatement practices to address health and safety concerns. ACHIEVE (formerly Broome-Tioga ARC) provides residential, day, family support, and employment programs for individuals with intellectual and other developmental disabilities. This project will create short-term construction jobs and provide long-term benefit to the community by continuing services to individuals and families in need.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

NYSARC, Inc., Broome-Tioga County Chapter (d.b.a. ACHIEVE)
125 Cutler Pond Road
Binghamton, New York 13905

\$300,000 - Hope House Facility Construction, Utica, NY: Funds will be used for design and construction of a new facility for Hope House in order to accommodate the growth of this soup kitchen in Utica, NY. The organization's volunteers serve 80,000 meals per year to the community's needy and have outgrown their current facility. This project will create short-term construction jobs and provide long-term benefit to the community by continuing services to individuals and families in need.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Peter Maurin House, Inc (d.b.a Hope House)
130 Eagle St.
Utica NY, 13503

\$400,000 - Springbrook NY's renovation and expansion of a education facility for the developmentally disabled: Funding will be used for renovation and expansion of an existing school building and campus to support a specialized school for children with moderate to severe autism. The project will keep New York State in the forefront of special education by ensuring that children from this region and beyond have the option of remaining in-state for school services. Springbrook provides an array of family-centered programs for people with developmental disabilities. This project will create short-term construction jobs and provide long-term benefit to the community by continuing services to this population.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Springbrook NY, Inc.
2705 State Highway 28
Oneonta, NY 13820

\$675,000 - NYS Transportation Economic and Environmental Benefits of Roadside Willow Barriers: Funds will be used to deploy roadside demonstrations of shrub willow energy crops for bridge abutment/flood plain soil stability, sound barriers, snow fences and low-impact median safety. Full-funding would enable the installation of 370 miles of ten foot-wide barriers with potential to save \$22,940,000 per year on related state and local snow plowing budgets.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

State University of New York College of Environmental Science & Forestry
(d.b.a. SUNY-ESF)
1 Forestry Drive, Bray Hall 224
Syracuse, NY 13210

\$14,325 - Deerfield, NY for Maintenance Equipment: Funds will be used to purchase utility equipment to machine groom the Town-maintained multi-purpose trails. These trails are used year-round, but particularly in the winter months when they serve the local snowshoe club and as the home course for the Whitesboro Central School ski team. The project assists the municipality in maintaining these public trails for several thousand residents and to aid further development of winter tourism.

Intended Recipient of Funding:

Town of Deerfield
6329 Walker Road
Deerfield, NY 13502